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Pamela Grubaugh-Littig Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210 Box 145801 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Dear Ms Grubaugh-Littig:

Due to unavoidable circumstances, ANDALEX must respectfully request an extension of time to submit its deficiency response for the Centennial Mine mid-term permit review until May 1. Primarily the bonding calculations are holding us up due to some disagreement in methods. I'm confident this can be resolved.

Sincerely,

Michael W. Glasson, Senior Geologist

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